

REMARKS

Claims 1, and 3-13 are presently in the subject application.

Claims 1, 8, 10 and 11 have been amended to place the subject invention in better condition for appeal. The amendments do not add new matter nor raise an additional issue and, accordingly, entry of these amendments is respectfully requested.

Allowance of claims 12 and 13 is gratefully acknowledged.

Claim 8 is objected to under 37 C.F.R. 1.75(c) because of multiple dependency without alternative reference. Claim 8 has been amended to depend from a single claim and is not subject to this objection. Allowance of claim 8 is respectfully requested.

Claim 7 is objected to because of the use of "liquid-mixture." Claim 7 is defined in terms of "liquid-crystal mixture" and it is respectfully submitted that claim 7 is not subject to this objection. Allowance of claim 7 is respectfully requested.

Claims 1 and 10-11 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, in that these claims are indefinite. In particular, claim 1 does not include "liquid crystal layer" as part of the display device. Claim 1 has been amended whereby "liquid crystal layer" is part of the display device. Accordingly, amended claim 1 is not subject to a rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, and allowance of claim 1 is respectfully requested.

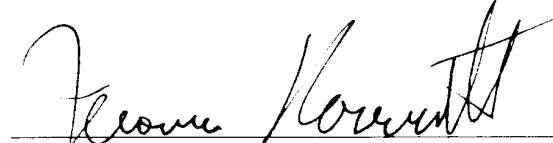
Claims 10 and 11 are considered vague in that a display device is not clearly claimed.

Claims 10 and 11 have been amended to claim a display device. Accordingly, amended claims 10 and 11 are not subject to a rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, and allowance of claims 10 and 11 is respectfully requested.

The Examiner is hereby authorized to call the undersigned attorney on record "collect" on any matter connected with this application. The telephone number is 212-588-0800. In the absence of the undersigned attorney or record, the call will be accepted by any attorney empowered in this application.

Respectfully submitted,
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